

# FLINT RIVER DIKE RECONSTRUCTION

## SAGINAW COUNTY



The Flint River dike reconstruction project is located in an archaeologically sensitive area. As a result, a major thrust of the Section 106 review of the project focused on archaeological resources. The SHPO and the Office of the State Archaeologist (OSA) worked closely with the Federal Emergency Management Agency and the professional consultants on the project to facilitate fulfillment of Section 106 requirements. Toward that end, during the late summer and early fall of 2005, the OSA made several field visits to observe excavation work at three National Register-eligible archaeological sites. The OSA performed the field examinations in order to expedite the excavation work, and facilitate completion of the Section 106 review process, clearing the way for dike reconstruction to begin.

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